Abstract of the Invention

A system and method for expanding a database, after connecting to a database website, a client end may choose databases from the database website and pay for the selected database. Payment allows a client end to gain a number of database download and installation times for downloading and installing the database. An authentication code is then sent back to the database website. When the authentication code is verified, the system returns an authentication approval message to the client end. After the client end receives the authentication approval message, the database is encrypted with the authentication code. Finally, the client end is able to completely install the encrypted database on line. Thus, the copyright of the database is securely protected.